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STATE OF MONTANA

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA No. DA 09-0605

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

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V.

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DONNIE MACK SELLERS,

Ed Smith

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Defendant and Appellant.

## MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW, Koan Mercer, counsel of record for Defendant and Appellant, and respectfully requests an extension of time until March 10, 2010, in which to prepare, file, and serve the Appellant's opening brief in the above-entitled matter. This is Appellant's first extension request for the opening brief. Opposing counsel has been contacted concerning this motion and does not object.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_day of February, 2010.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I caused a true and accurate copy of the foregoing

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